RACE IS NOT YET DECIDED

DEFENDER PROTESTS BECAUSE OF A FOUL BY VALKYRIE.

When the Yachts Were Jockeying for the Start the Englishman's Boom Scraped the Defender and Tore Away One Back test Pennant the American Made a Plucky Fight in Her Crippled Condition and Crossed the Line Only a Few Seconds Behind Her Competitor-Result of the Protest to be Announced To-day.

New York, Sept. 10 .- The second race, between the Defender and Valkyrie for the America's cup, took place off Sandy Hook to-day. Close jockeying between the contestants just before the start resulted in an accident to the American which spoiled the race. Fifteen thousand persons on steamers, tugs, vachts and ocean vessels sent up a groan of disappointment when the Defender wa orippled before the eyes of all. Valkyrie after fouling the Defender was away cup hunting. While no one susher owner of intentionally fouling the Yankee yacht, the way h raked his steel boom over the deck and tore down the other fellow's rigging and then sailed away at his best pace over the course was not pleasant to Americans to contemplate,

From the first every attempt to se cure fair play for the visitors has been made and methods that prevail in English races when an American boat competes are not tried here. But for the accident the race would probably have been one of the finest in the hstory of America's cup contests. Nothwas lacking to make it a memora ble affair. There was a good sailing breeze, the sky was clear after the of the morning had been dispelled and the ocean was comparatively smooth.

It was a good day for Valkyrie, but would have been a better one for Defender had she not met with the ac-The crowd which witnessed the race to-day was not as numerous as on Saturday, but it numbered well up into the thousands and many of the steamboats were dangerously overcrowded. The Defender was the first of the two racers to leave the anchor age at Bay Ridge this morning. At 7:40 she took a line from the tug Wallace B. Flint and started for the scene of action. The Valkyrie left her moorings ten minutes later in tow of the tug Pulver. Both boats got up their mainsails going down the bay Defender used the Herreshoff mainsail and her snow-white topsail.

The Valkyrie's mainsail was fitted far better than that of the American boat On the Valkyrie with Lord Dunraver were Arthur T. Glennie, H. Maitland Kersey and J. R. Bush of the America's cup committee. On the Defender were Mr. and Mrs. Iselin, Nat Herreshoff, Woodbury Kane, Newbury Thorne, Herbert C. Leeds and David Henderrayen. The America's cup committee and the regatta committee went down the bay on the tug Walter F. Lucker The fleet of excursion steam ers and yachts following the race was smaller than on Saturday and there was not serious interference at any time with the racing vachts. Soon after 10 o'clock the commit

arrived off the Sandy Hook light

ship. She found a gentle breeze blowing from almost due south at the rate of six or seven miles an hour and a gently running sea with little or no ground swell. The conditions of wind and weather were much like those of Saturday, the only difference, smoother sea, being in Valkyrie's fa The course was triangular, ten miles on a side, with the start off Sandy Hook lightship. It was decided that first leg of the triangle should be laid due south, the second leg northeast by east and the third leg north west by west, one-half west. As th wind was blowing almost straight from the south it was evident that the first the second leg a broad reach and the third leg a close-hauled reach. Alt 10:50:00 the preparatory signal was

fired. Both the racers were then to the leeward of the line and some distance Both were on the starboard tack. Each had the same canvas, consisting of mainsail, clubtopsail, staysail and jib, with a jibtopsail in stops ready no break out. When the gun was fired the Defender, which was to eastward. came about on the port tack and stood toward the Valkyrie. The latter, being still upon the starboard tack, had the right of way, and as the Defender approached she luffed into the wind and vent about. This brought Valkyrie on the weather quarter of the Defender, that is, to windward of her and just a triffe behind, but well overlapping her, and so gave her the weather guage. The Defender could easily have averted this by luffing and going about when the Valkyrie did, but as there was five minutes left before the start she did not think to do so, her captain thinking it easy enough to shake off the Britisher before the cross. But there Captain Haff made a big mistake. The Valkyrie was where she wanted and stayed there. Do what she could, Defender could not shake off the foe clinging to

After the Englishman had secured the much coveted position both boats stood along toward the westward on the port tack until beyond the committee boat hoping to get around and luff up to windward of Valkyrie before she could quite as clever. He did not attempt to go about and gybed so quickly that the relative positions of the boats remained

Valkyrie still kept the weather. The tack toward the starting line. They passed around one of the big excursion

began to approach the line from its scene of excitement with patriotic about half a length ahead, besides be- greater ovation. Her plucky fight elicing to windward. She, therefore, was Ited much praise from yachtsmen, Both nearest to the line and would cross yachts were towed to Bay Ridge, where

On came the boats until only a few conds remained before the starting the Defender. Then it was seen that the Valkyrle was too near the line and was in danger of crossing a second or two efore the gun. She immediately becan to bear away to avoid crossing. The Defender was just to leeward and a little behind the Valkyrie, and had no need to bear away and did not propose o do so. The Defender was allowing Valkyrie plenty of room between herself and the mark and acted strictly within her rights in keeping her course. Captain Cranfield could not call for room and there was but one thing he ould do go save himself-that was to stop headway on Valkyrie. The orders were given and all her sheets were slacked off wide at once to spill her sails and stop her headway.

Then came a foul. The long boom of the Valkyrie reaching out to leeward raked across the deck of the Defender only eighteen or twenty feet away and striking the topmast shroud on the starboard side carried it away, breaking the faw of the spreader and pulling the bolt out of the brass spreader strap. The Defender's lofty topmast imme diately buckled under the strain of her fibtopsail with a loud crack, and at this moment the starting gun was fired-alt exactly 11 o'clock. The Defender's crew were ordered forward to take in her jibtopsall in order to save the topmast from further damage and in that condition she crossed the line at 11:01:15. The Valkyrie had preceded

As she crossed the line the Defender hoisted a protest flag, and an answering pennant on the judges' boat showed it had been seen and would be consid-

There is no doubt that the responsibility for the accident rests entirely the Valkyrie. Her skipper al lowed her to get into a tight place, where there was every prospect of his crossing before guy fire and so having to return and re-cross. In his anxidty to avoid this he ran down too close upon a boat which he was bound to look out for, as she was sailing clser hauled on the same tack and so had the right of way.

The two boats crossed upon the star board tack, but immediately the Defender went about on the port tack to bring the strain on the topmast on the uninjured side and Valkyrie followed on the same tack. An attempt to replace the broken shroud was made upon the Defender and a makeshift which partially answered the purpose

was devised. At 11:24:00 the Defender went about upon the starboard tack and ten seconds later Valkyrie followed. It was then seen that Valkyrie was a quarter mile ahead of Defender and was fully one hundred yards to the windward. This showed that the American boat en in her crippled condition was doing about upon the port tack and five minutes later the Defender broke out her fibtopsail again. She took it in again ened topmast could not stand the strain. The wind continued to freshen and hauled a little to westward.

At 11:54 the Defender came about tee's tug, the Walter Luckenbach again and the Valkyrie followed a few seconds later, both standing off shore in the starboard tack again. The Valkyrie was still about a quarter of a mile ahead. At 12:10 both tacked to port again, the condition remaining unchanged and at 12:19 another tack to starboard was made. By this time the Valkyrle was not only three-eighths or half a mile ahead of Defender, bu was also a quarter of a mile to windward. The wind had now freshened to welve or fourteen miles an hour and the water became much rougher. The Valkyrie began to make a considerable disturbance in the water, rolling up quite a wave under her bow and slow ly, but surely, the Defender began to creep up on her. She not only went more smoothly through the water, bu she also began to outpoint the English

She broke out a No. 2 topsail, which in size was about the same as that which the Valkyrie had. Just as the boats were rounding the mark the breeze took another spurt, and be fore it settled down again it had reached a velocity of twelve or thirteen mile

The leg was a reach close hauled with booms to starboard. This brought the port shrouds, which were uninjured and for the first time during the race it was possible to sail her to the best of her ability.

She was half a mile behind the Valkyrie when she rounded the stakeboat and in less than half an hour she had cut this distance down to three-eighths of a mile. She had been 3 minutes and 35 seconds behind at the second mark and during the last ten miles she gain ed one minute and seventeen seconds. which, deducting the difference of time at the etart, and her allowance, made her a loser by only 47 seconds. Had the last leg been five miles longer the De fender would have won by over a min ute. But the leg was only ten miles and the noble boat could not overcom her great handicap in that distance The Valkyrie finished first at 2:55:23 The Defender was 2 minutes 18 seconds behind, at 2:57:40. The elapsed times Valkyrie, 3:55:09; Defender

Valkyrie allows Defender 29 1-10 se ands, and Valkyrie started 1 minute, econds shead. The conjected times are Valkyrie, 3:55:09; Defender, 3:55:56. Valkyrie won by 47 seconds, corrects

Defender made a remarkable show ing, and her superiority was clearly marked on her point of sailing, even in

her crippled condition. At the finish there was the usual

sestward end, breaking out their jib- Americans for once saluting the Britopsails, as they did so. Valkyrie was ish yacht. The Defender received the they are anchored for the night. morrow a new topmast will be put into

The regatta committee stopped its boat at Bay Ridge on the way to the city, and Mr. Iselin made a verbal pro test in regard to the fouling. Bush, the club representative on the British boat, was asked to present his version of the affair. At 10:30 p. m the following notice was posted on the bulletim board at the club:

"The Defender protests the Valkyrie on the ground she bore down on her just before reaching the starting line thereby causing a foul, which resulted in the carrying away of her spreader and the springing of her topmast. (Signed)

THE REGATTA COMMITTEE."

Commodore Smith of the America's up committee said to-night that his faith in the Herreshoff boat had been tremendously strengthened and that the cup was safe.

The wind had hauled a little to the westward and the mark was easily eached on this long starboard tack. The Valkyrie rounded at 12:57:43, and easing off her sheets started for the econd mark. As soon as the Valkyrie ounded the mark she hauled down her fibtopsail, and two minutes later took her staysall preparatory to setting her balloon jig im stops. She broke it together with a huge balloon staysail at 1:02. The Defender rounded the first mark at 1:01:35, having been beaten 3 minutes, 52 seconds in the ten miles.

This did not include the difference of time at the start. Immediately after ounding Defender broke out a baby ibtopsail and took in her staysail. A 'ew minutes later she, too, set a boloon staysail.

The run to the second mark was a road reach, and the wind over the tarboard quarter and the sails set to port. The wind kept on increasing eaching about eighteen miles an hour t one time on this leg, and the yachte dashed on at a good pace. Nobly as the Defender had done on the first lear t was a hopeless race for her. Being mable, on account of the weakness of nuch sail as the Englishman. The balloon lib. In spite of this handleap, lowever, she actually gained seventeen conds on the ten miles. Much of this was due to the difference in the behavior of the yachts in the rather stiff waway. Valkyrie had much more of plunge in her work. At times cascades of water were thrown out from under her bow, and the wake which she left became very marked. The Defender created but little fuss in connecion with either entering or leaving the

At 1:58 the Valkyrie took in her balhe second mark, sending up a number jibtopsail as she did so. She then jib and jibtopsail set. At 1:59 the Dender, which had nearly reached the mark, took in her baby jibtopsail and gybed and rounded the mark at 2:01:45, It was rumored date to-night that the regatta committee, which had been onsidering Defender's protest, had decided in favor of Valkyrie, and declared the contest a race. The report could not be verified. It is said the commitmittee will hold another meeting to

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS MEET.

The Twenty-seventh Annual Session Began Stamford Yesterday-Reports Rendered-Important Business on Hand Today-The Grand Officers. Stamford, Sept. 10 .- The twenty-sev-

nth annual session of the Connecticut rand lodge, Knights of Pythias, began n Miller's hall to-day and will last two days. The morning session began at 10 ellor was conferred upon those who had not previously attended meetings of the grand lodge. The grand officers submitted their annual reports. A rul ng of the supreme lodge has been made to the effect that the rank of past chanellor can only be conferred upon men who have served as chancellor comman. der of a subordinate lodge. Heretofore some grand lodges conferred this rank upon persons who had served two or nore consecutive years as keeper of records and seals master of finance or maser of exchequer.

To-morrow important business will be ransacted at the two sessions. It will include the adoption of a grand constiution and statutes made necessary by changes in the supreme constitution. the acceptance or rejection of a plan for Connecticut Pythian home, the selection of a meeting place for the next session, and the election of grand officers; a supreme representative for four years o succeed General Edward F. Durand of New Haven, and a grand tribunal. The choice of a meeting place and the lections will be the last business before the adjournment. The present grand officers are: Lucius F, Norton of New Haven, past grand chancellor; Frank R. White of Waterbury, grand chancellor: William N. Potter of Willimantic, grand vice chancellor; Thomas S. Williams of New Haven, grand prelate; Horace O. Case of Hartford, grand keeper of records and seals; Washington L. Morgan of New Britain, grand master of exheaver: Vincent M. King of Danbury. grand master-as-arms; Frederick W. esson of Waterbury, grand inside guard'an; William Reid of East Hartord, grand outside guardian.

This afternoon the reports of the sec retary and treasurer were read and accepted. Both showed the organization to be in excellent shape. The officers will be elected to-morrow,

THOMPSON'S GHASTLY FIND

THOMAS MULTIHILL'S DEAD BODY FOUND AT HEALY & BIGELOW'S.

Remains in an Advanced Stage of Decom position-Supposed to Have Been Dead for Over a Week-Delay Over the Disposition of the Remains-Death Thought to Have Been Due to Heart Disease

Shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Samuel W. Thompson of room 20, Hoadley building, made a ghastly discovery in a rear room of the building formerly occupied by Healy & Bigelow at Grand and Railroad avenues. As he entered the room he was confronted with an awful stench as of decaying animal matter and a few moments later was completely horrified to stumble across the dead body of a man in an advanced stage of decomposition.

When Thompson had recovered from the shock of his discovery he notified the police of the Grand avenue station and an investigation was immediately set on foot. Deputy Medical Examiner Gustavus Eliot was notified and viewed the remains and gave as his opinion that the man's death was due o heart disease.

The police after considerable investigation discovered that the dead mar was Thomas Mulvihill, seventy years old, who, until recently, worked for the Connecticut Concrete company and boarded at William Dwyer's boarding house on State street, near Court. In his pocket was fourd a diary snowing that he had boarded with Dwyer since October 29 of last year and that he had relatives living in Thompsonville, N. Y.

How Mulvihill came to be in the building is a mystery, as the place has been vacant for over a month, but it is the opinion of the police that while under the influence of liquor he managed to get into the building to sleep off the effects and was stricken with heart disease. It is also a matter of conjecture as to how long the body had lain in the building, but from its appearance when found it had evidently been there a week or longer.

In support of this theory it is stated that about a week ago a gentleman from Ansonia looked through the buildner topmast to set her balloon jib, she ing with a view to renting and in could not carry aynumbers near as reply to a question as to whether there was any one in the building at the paby fibtopsail and the balloon staysail time of his visit, said that there was offered but a poor substitute for the a man whom he took for the watchman lying asleep on the floor and as he appeared to be so comfortable, he had not disturbed his slumbers. the police are confident was the body of the man who was found yesterday and it is believed that he was dead at the time of the Ansonia man's visit.

After Deputy Medical Examiner El ot had viewed the remains he ordered their removal to Lewis & Maycock's morgue and the latter's wagon was brought to the scene to remove the Before its arrival, however, Owens. avenue, near Jefferson street, and wh claimed to be acquainted with Mulvihill, refused to allow Lewis & Maycock home with her mainsail and clubtopsail. to take the remains and said that they should be taken charge of by Thomas

Dunn, the Grand avenue undertaker This was the state of affairs when Lewis & Maycock's wagon arrived upon the scene. When they were informed of the facts they drove back to the city, leaving the body in the building, Later Thomas Dunn was notified, but he refused to have anything to do with the body and Lewis & Maycock were again summoned. At first they refused to have anything more to do with the case, in view of what had occurred, but finally one of Blair's wagons was brought to the scene and the body removed to Lewis & Maycock's morgue about 6:30 o'clock, after a delay of over four hours.

The police do not entertain any the ory of foul play, but are unable to acunt for the manner in which Mulvihill secured an entrance into the

COLORED CANDIDATE NAMED.

Dr. Jackson to Run For a Place on the

School Board-Formerly a Missionary in Africa. A mass meeting of the colored voters to choose a candidate to represent the colored voters on the school board was held in the Y. M. C. A. hall on Goffe street last evening. The meeting was called to order by ex-Councilman J. P. Peaker, who, after making a short speech, called for the nomination of a chairman. W. Jones was elected chairnam and F. Fuller secretary. Peaker in a few well chosen words nominated Dr. G. H. Jackson, Mr. Rawson nominated D. Porter and William Miller nominated J. W. Stewart. Mr. Porter declined to serve, as he is not a voter in the city. After a few short remarks by several of the gentlemen present a ballot was taken, which resulted as follows: Total number of votes, 35, of which Mr. Stewart received 17 and Dr. Jackson 18. After the ballot had been announced Dr. Jackson made a few remarks. The following committee was appointed to take charge of the can vas: F. D. Fuller, G. H. Griffin and Captain J. H. Wilkins. The candidate was formerly for six

years the pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church, but has just returned from Africa, where he has been a medica He is a graduate of the missionary. Colgate college, class of '87, and of the Yale theological seminary of the class While taking a theological course at Yale he was appointed pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church. During his pastorate he took up the study

of medicine at the Yale medical school and was graduated with the class o '92. In 1893 he was sent to the Congo Free State by the American Baptis Missionary union. Dr. Jackson brough to this country a cutive prince, Samue Mpemba, whom he is to have educated as an evangelist. The prince is a boy of about sixteen years of age.

GRAND LODGE OF COLORED MASONS. Aunual Session Being Held in Meriden-

Resume of the Day's Doings Yesterday. Meriden, Sept. 10 .- The twenty-second annual communication of the Grand odge of Connecticut, Free and Accepted Masons (colored) was called to or der at the Y. M. C. A. social room this \$6,000 already raised by the Foot Guard morning at 10:40 o'clock by Grand Master Walter H. Mitchell of Hartford.

The representation from the colored Masonic lodges were very fair and a great deal of business is expected to be finished before the communication is called off to-morrow noon. The offiers of the Grand lodge, elected at the annual meeting at New Haven last

Grand master-W. H. Mitchell, Hart Deputy grand master-Thomas Allen,

New Haven. Grand senior warden-Elisha Walker.

Bridgeport. Grand junior warden-James H. Nau in, New Haven.

Grand secretary-F. O. Cross, Hart Grand treasurer-John W. Ross, New Haven.

Grand senior deacon-Arthur Harder, Meriden. Grand junior deacon-F. H. Johnson

Waterbury. Grand senior steward-W. F. Scrogins, New Haven. Grand junior steward-Walter H.

Young, Hartford. Grand chaplain-Rev. C. C. Ringgold, Middletown. Grand lecturer-T. H. Rose, Hart

ford. Grand sword bearer-James Alexander, Bridgeport. Grand standard bearer-Richard

Hamilton, Ansonia Grand marshal-Robert H. Jackson New Haven. Grand tyler-Elias Voorhees, Nor-

The committees appointed at the New Haven annual convention will make their reports at this communication. he committees being made up as fol-

Foreign correspondence-F. O. Cross Hartford; J. M. Boon, Bridgeport, J. Jones, New Haven. Charity-H. L. White, Waterbury; C.

H. Weeks, Meriden; W. A. Smith, An-Officers and dispensations-John Duton, Norwich; B. R. Chandler, Bridgeport; Thomas Stewart, New Haven. Jurisprudence-Walter H. Burr, Nor-William Jackson, New Haven; Thomas Rose, Hartford,
Mileage—Rev. J. H. Youngs, N. M.

Mayo, New Haven; C. W. Broadfield, Bridgeport. Unfinished business-Rev. C. C. Ringgold, Middletown; Theodore James (deeased); J. S. Wright, New Haven. Grievances-W. H. Effort and John

Godet, New Haven; P. F. Young, Nor-T. Johnson and Benjamin Johnson. Accounts2-G. A. Jenkins, Waterbury J. Brown and L. A. Bell, New

The first business was the appointing of Brothers Nautin and Scroggins of New Haven and Thomas of Middletown is a committee on rules. The commit tee on credentials. Brothers Burr of Norwich, Rose of Hartford and Lane of New Haven, reported the following lodges having delegates present: Widow's Son No. 1 of New Haven

Robert L. Reed and James E. Fender-

Eureka No. 2 of Norwich-W. Excelsior No. 3 of Hartford-Robert

Smith, Henry M. Caesar and J. B. Mc-Knight. Dorle No. 4 of Bridgeport-Charles W. Broadfield, Charles H. and Charles

E. Brown Kellogg No. 5 of Waterbury-W. H. Joslen, Arnold Mann and J. F. Fitch. Oriental No. 6 of New Haven-Thomas

L. Benjamin, W. F. Scroggins and Edward Taylor. Ionic No. 7 of Meriden-Edward Stewart, Andrew Jackson and Pleasant H.

Woods. Mystic Tie No. 8 of Middletown-C. A. C. Beman, Samuel Jackson and A. S.

J. H. Wilkins No. 9 of Ausonia-W B. Bowens

The annual report of Grand Master Mitchell followed and was closely istened to by the brethren present. The grand master touched upon his visits or the visits of his deputy to the nine lodges in his jurisdiction. The membership in the various lodges is about 260, the richest lodge Widow's Son of New Haven. The brethren were "called off from labor to refreshment" at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, dinner being served at Holmes

& Wood's. The craft assembled again at 2:45 'clock and transacted a good deal of

Exciting Finishes Made.

Philadelphia, Sept. 10.-The fall race meeting of the Philadelphia Driving park association opened to-day. While he races were not sensational close and exciting finishes were made.

Flushing, Holland, Sept. 10.-The

Spanish steamer Manila, bound for and the Norwegian steamer Manilla was badly damaged.

At Company K's Range.

Wallingford, Sept. 10.-The third com etition for the ex-Colonel Leavenworth kirmish medal will take place this year on Saturday, October 5, over the Com-

THE FOOT GUARD'S TRIP. A Meeting Held Last Night to Conside

Raising Funds, A number of prominent citizens responding to the invitation of Mayor Hendrick met last evening in room No 10 in the city hall to consider the question of raising \$1,500 to add to the themselves to take the company to the

ary expenses of the trip. To enable the company to properly epresent the state and city at least will be required, while to entertain the governor of Alabama and do certain other things to keep up the credit of New Haven another \$500 could be used to advantage.

Atlanta exposition and pay other neces-

The meeting last evening was called to order by Mayor Hendrick, who explained the object of the meeting and then called upon Major Brown of the Foot Guard, who was present, to state the facts of the case to the gentlemen present. Major Brown said that in the first place the company wishes it un derstood that it is not begging and would rather not go at all than to do so. The Foot Guard have been planning a trip somewhere for their own pleasur for some time, which they could make at less expense to themselves, and have as good a time as if they went to At anta. But as it was proposed to send the company to Atlanta as a historic New Haven organization to represent the city and state the proposed trip lsewhere has been deferred. He also said that he thought the members of the ompany have shown their lovalty to he city in raising \$6,000, \$4,000 of which as been raised in the ranks.

Ex-Mayor Sargent then said that as was a business matter it should be reated in a business way, and the citzens of New Haven, before subscribing to the fund, wish some proof that \$6,000 of the amount has been raised. He said that the visit of the Foot Guard to Atlanta, and similar trips, would have much to do in smoothing over he war effects and in cementing the orth and south together. Atlanta is ne of the most progressive cities in the country, about the size of New Hamden. It is a good thing for Connecticut people to go down and get mbued with some of this energy. Trips of this sort show that our citizen soltiers stretch forth the hand of fellowship to those of the south, and he said that he thought the Foot Guard the best company to represent the solidity of Connecticut, as It is composed of good olid citizens. They would be receive with a welcome. For his part he said he would be willing to chip in his thare. He then asked how long the company expected to be gone, and Major Brown said that the trip would cover about seven days, including a stop

t Charleston. Captain Lawrence O'Brien told of that sort could make a trip than an individual could, proportionately, and said he would render all the sid he

Mayor Hendrick spoke of Atlanta as being a moral city, and said that he was strongly in favor of the company's going, and that it is strange if \$1,000 can't be raised to have the city proper ly represented. He stated that he had received several letters from gentlemen who were unable to be present, and four of these letters contained subscriptions of \$25 each.

Ex-Alderman S. B. Shoninger then moved that Mayor Hendrick be empowered to select a committee to raise the required amount by subscription. The vote was passed, and the mayor will appoint the committee in a few

The gentlemen present at the meeting were Mayor Hendrick, ex-Mayor Sargent, George M. Grant, Captain Lawence O'Brien, Henry Hendryx, Counilman Coolidge, General Greeley James D. Dewell, F. H. Hart and Edrard S. Beecher.

Major Brown stated that the rates ing and living expenses of each man will not exceed \$45. This is simply the fare and board. Of course, other excenses are personal, and must be paid by individuals of the company.

The Present Condition Shows a Great De

cline in Corn Since August. Washington, Sept. 10.-The crop re-

port shows a decline in corn to 94.10 from 102.5 in the month of August. The condition of wheat, considering both winter and spring varieties when harvested, was 75.4 against 83.7 last year and 74 in 1893. The reported conditions for the principal states are as

Ohio 64, Michigan 70, Indiana 53, Il linois 59, Wisconsin 85, Minnesota 107, lowa 107, Missouri 75, Kansas 40, Ne braska 74, North Dakota 105, South Dakota 74, California 75, Oregon 93, Washington 79.

The prospects of the corn crop have suffered from drought during August n the surplus producing states of Ohio Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and in a portion of Nebraska. Reports from Indiana, Iowa and Ohio indicate that. though there have been rains during the latter part of the month they have been generally too late to be of great benefit. Drought has also injur-

ed the crop in the eastern states. Much more encouraging reports com from the south, which indicate that in that section the crop will be larger bound for Antwerp, were in than before produced. Too much rain collision pear Borssel, an island off this is noted in certain sections of South for the people, moved that Mrs. Flemcoats, to-day. The Xania sank soon Carolina, Alabama and Mississippi and ing be held in custody to await the afterwards, and six of her crew were drought seems to have unfavorably afdrowned, including the captain. The feeted certain localities in Texas. Reports, however, from this section are generally favorable. The averages are Kentucky 106, Ohio 93, Michigan 85, Indiana 86, Illinois 97, Iowa 96, Mis-

Condition of oats when harvested action was illegal and that he would was 86, rye 83.7, barley 87.6, buckwheat cause the arrest of the officer who places 87.5, potatoes 90.8,

STATE CAMPAIGN OPENED

GOV. M'KINLEY PREDICTS VICTORY FOR THE REPUBLICANS IN OHIO.

He Said That Foraker Would be Elected Senator and That the Real Contest in the State Would be on the Tariff Question-President Cleveland's Administration

Springfield, O., Sept. 10 .- The republican state campaign was opened here today by Governor McKinley, ex-Governor Foraker, General Bushnell and General Jones, the two last named being candidates for governor and lieutenant governor respectively. The crowd numbered thousands. Senator Sherman presided and made a speech.

General Bushnell in his speech asked for a rousing majority for the state ticket to insure Governor McKinley's election to the presidency, and then end Joseph B. Foraker to the senate. Governor McKimley in his speech predicted that the republicans would carry, the state this year and that Mr. Foraker would be elected senator. He declared that the real contest in Ohio was on the tariff question. There was he said, one great objection to the law that all must admit to be valid. It failed to produce the needed revenues. At no time from of 1890 down to the close of President Harrison's administration did the law fall to raise the necessary revenue. The governor maintained that the prosperity low was in spite of democratic legisla tion and not because of it. There was no indication of a return of prosperity until after the election of 1894. governor criticised President Cleveland's administration and said that the republican party stood for sound money and declared that the public credit be always maintained.

Ex-Governor Foraker referred to the hesitation shown by the democratic convention in adopting a resolution favoring the enforcement of the Monroe doctrine. He explained by asserting that Haven, but as far ahead of New Haven Mr. Cleveland had notoriously disren push as New Haven is ahead of garded the requirements of this doc-

ON THE BALL FIELD.

Results of the Games in the Big League

At Baltimore-When the champions secured a lead in the seventh the crowd cheered itself hoarse and with one voice yelled, "The pennant is ours." Daring base running distinguished the home team's work. Captain Tebeau was out out of the game in the sixth inning for using obscene language towards Umpire Emslie. The game was called in the eighth inning on account of darknow much cheaper an organization of ness after Baltimore had scored one run.

Baltimore....0 0 3 0 0 Cleveland.....1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0-2 could, and would assist in raising Hits-Baltimore 7, Cleveland 2. Errors-Baltimore 6, Cleveland 5. Batter ies-McMahon and Robinson; Cuppy and Zimmer.

At Philadelphia-Philadelphia easily defeated Louisville, hotting McFarland at will. The score:

Philadelphia 1 3 0 0 3 Louisville ... 0 0 2 1 0 0 2 0 0-5 Hits-Philadelphia 24, Louisville 13, Errors-Philadelphia 1, Louisville 2, Batteries-Orth and Clements; McFar-

land and Warner. At Brooklyn-Not until the ninth to day were the Brooklyns able to fathom Dwyer's curves. The score: Brooklyn0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2

Cincinnatt ... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0

Hits-Brooklyn 6, Cincinnati 6. Errors-Brooklyn 0, Cincinnati 6. Batter ies-Daub and Grim; Dwyer and Vaughan. At Boston-Boston could not but at all to-day and were defeated by St. Louis.

Dowd batted finely. The score: St. Louis..... 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 0have been obtained so that the travel- Boston 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 2-4 Hits-St. Louis 13, Boston 9. Errors-St. Louis 1, Boston 2. Batteries-Kissinger and Peitz; Stockdale, Ganzel, Sti-

vetts and Tenny. At New York-The Chilcagos won two games from the New Yorks to-day by superior playing. The scores: First game-

New York.....0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0-3 Chicago......0 1 5 0 0 3 0 4-13 Hits-New York 16, Chicago 14. Errors-New York 14, Chicago 1. Batteries-Rusie, German and Farrell; Friend and Donahue.

Second game-New York 0 4 0 0 0 1 1 0-6 Chicago..3 0 0 2 0 0 1 2-8 Hits-New York 12, Chicago 11, Errors-New York 5, Chicago 2. Batteries-Meekin and Wilson; Parker and

Kittredge. MRS, FLEMING HELD.

Orders of the Coroner Despite the Decision of His Jury. New York, Sept. 10.-The coroner's jury in the Bliss-Fleming case ren-

dered the following verdict this after-We find that Evelina Matilda Bliss came to her death on August 30, 1895. at No. 397 St. Nicholas avenue, from acute gastritis, also chronic nephritis and lime plate on the cardiac valve, the result of causes unknown to jury. As soon as the verdict was announ Assistant District Attorney McIntyre,

Lawyer Brooke, on behalf of the prisoner, opposed the motion, Coroner O'Meagher decided to hold

the prisoner without ball to await the action of the grand jury. Lawyer Brooke protested that such action was illegal and that he would

Mrs. Fleming in custody.